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SUBJECT: NEW HEAD OF OECD ENVIRONMENT DIRECTORATE

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1. CHARGE HAS INFORMED DEP SEC GEN WOOTTON THAT
MINK AND REST OF DELEGATION CONSIDERED FAIRCLOUGH
MOST QUALIFIED CANDIDATE.

2. CANADIAN AMBASSADOR MACLEAN CALLED ON CHARGE TO
MAKE PITCH FOR THEIR CANDIDATE CHARACTERIZING HIM
AS TOP PERFORMER--DEPUTY MINISTER AT AGE 45--AND FAR
MORE QUALIFIED THAN FAIRCLOUGH WHO WAS OFFICE
DIRECTOR LEVEL. CHARGE TOLD MACLEAN OF MINK'S VIEWS
AND OUR COMMUNICATION WITH SECRETARIAT.

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3. IN BOTH CONVERSATIONS CHARGE NOTED THAT
WHILE OUR VIEWS ON RELATIVE QUALIFICATIONS OF
CANDIDATES HAS BEEN MADE CLEAR, UNLIKE COMMITTEE
CHAIRMANSHIPS AND OTHER POSTS SUBJECT TO APPROVAL
OF MEMBERS, CHOICE OF ENVIRONMENT DIRECTOR WAS
MANAGEMENT DECISION ENTIRELY UP TO SEC GEN.

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